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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director, National Foreign [redacted] Center
FROM : Presidential Briefing Coordinator
SUBJECT : Transfer of Responsibility on Presidential Briefing "Arms Control Monitoring" [redacted]

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1. For several months I have taken primary responsibility for the detailed preparation of the Presidential briefing topic "Arms Control Monitoring." I recommended dropping the topic three weeks ago and was directed not to by the DCI. It is clear that I cannot continue to take the lead on this topic. Accordingly I propose to transfer primary responsibility for it from the Presidential Briefing Coordinator to the NFAC Requirements and Evaluation Staff (RES). I would have simply done this, but [redacted] feels it would be inappropriate for him to accept responsibility for this without being directed to do so by you.

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2. No one office is responsible for keeping track of all the requirements for all arms control agreements, but the RES is as good a place as any to be the focal point to coordinate NFAC, DD/S&T, CTS, etc. in pulling together a broad picture of our ability to monitor arms control agreements. [redacted]

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3. Accordingly I recommend that you direct the RES to assume primary responsibility for this briefing topic. [redacted]

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cc: C/RES

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Since July

- As you know, as of RA Div will now work this problem.

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